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## THE REFLEX ACTION

Real estate investments in the Northwest are at a low ebb at the present time, and correspondents are crying out for another loosening of the purse strings. Money is very much tied up in Winnipeg, and foreign money is not flowing in as was its wont in past years.

This is the reflex action which was bound to come. The investing public has already got its ready money pretty well bound up in western real estate, and much that was not ready money. Many a man is at the present moment experiencing the pinching pressure and finds it very difficult to finance his holdings. In fact thousands of investors who made first payments on property have found it necessary to drop their payments and allow the property to be sold for taxes. Saturday Night is our informant that in the city of Saskatoon alone there are over 2000 lots advertised to be sold for taxes on June 9. These lots are all within the corporation and did not come into possession of purchasers through the tender solicitation of subdivision artists. These facts would indicate that speculators are heavily loaded with real estate, and until the other fellows—the bonafide business men—can be induced to go out there, settle down and buy these holdings the present owners will continue to bemoan the failure of their vast dreams.

## EAST GREY POLITICS

The nomination for the East Riding of Grey for the local Legislature will be held in the town hall here on Monday next, June 2. We are informed that there is a likelihood of the riding being contested but there is no inkling as to who is likely to be Mr. Lucas' opponent. The Reformers of East Grey will meet in Clayton's hall here on Friday of this week and settle on their policy with regard to placing a candidate in the field.

A big Conservative demonstration is billed for Markdale on Tueaday of next week, at which it is announced that Mr. Whitney will be present, as well as all the local county members.

## S. S. Convention

The annual convention of Artemesia and Markdale Association was held in the Methodist church, Flesherton, on Tuesday, May 20.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Mr. McVicar, after which the nominating committee was appointed.

Rev. E. W. Halpenny, General Secretary of the Provincial Association was present and gave an address entitled "Climbing the Ladder," but which he said might be called "The Kingdom Vision" Mr. Halpenny is a man of strong personality, and attractive appearance, one who has faith in the power of the Sabbath school to leaven the community, but if it does not do that then the community will have the power to destroy the influence of the school. He said in part that while we have a distinct obligation to our own fireside, we are poor citizens if our interests stop there, while each school has its own interests, yet as a part of the township it has its duties. The province, through the counties, can only climb the ladder, as every township and every officers in the township do their duty. The following Standard of Excellence has been recommended, and every school should aim to be (1) properly organized, (2) suitably equipped, (3) with instruction graded to meet the needs of the schools, and (4) the teachers trained for the best service.

Rev. Mr. McVicar gave a short address on the Responsibility of Parents and Church Members toward the Sabbath School. The one difficulty about the address was that the parents, who should have listened to it and profited by it, were conspicuous by their absence, but such is always the case. The parents who were present were there because they were interested in the work. He said the Sabbath is the church at work, and the ideal Sabbath school is the one that has every church member and adherent in it. He said further that too often the influence of the parents is injurious to the S. S., and instead of attending the school and by doing so influence their children to remain in the Sabbath school, they go off for their own pleasure and too soon the children follow their example.

Mr. Halpenny conducted a round table conference, when he gave the audience an opportunity to talk. In reply to a question, he said "Decision Day" might be held with no good results, or it might be so conducted as to be mighty in its lasting benefits to those who make it a Declaration Day." Memory verses too soon leave the memory. He thinks the scholars should learn each verse perfectly and frequently review, without receiving a prize and added that once he received a prize but lost a friend.

The ladies of the three churches spread a bountiful supper in the lecture room to which all did justice.

The evening session was opened by a song service, conducted by Rev. H. E. Wellwood.

Mr. H. S. White, principal of Artemesia high school, gave an address on Methods of Teaching. Mr. White believes that business principles should be used in Sunday school as well as in any other business, and while the teacher should not find it necessary to spend time in discipline, yet the teacher should have perfect control over the scholars. If one was inclined to be heedless, fire a question at him, one that could not be answered by "yes" or "no." Use present day illustrations; that is what our Lord did when he taught the people. Prepare your lesson until you are saturated with it, plan your work and then work your plan. Mr. White urged parents to attend the Sabbath school, or at least to visit the school, believing it would have a deterrent effect on some of the pupils.

Rev. E. W. Halpenny again addressed the convention, his subject being "The Sunday school and the Community." He first made the pleasing announcement that Mr. Roper, the best pianist in the world, and Prof. Excel, of world wide fame, would be present at the next Provincial Convention which will be held in Owen Sound, Oct. 29, 30, and 31 of this year.

By taking the T. Eaton Co. and Robert Simpson Co. as illustrations he showed that in business a superintendent of a department had to bring that department up to high standard. If he failed he would be requested to step down, and in our work we will have no show unless we are organized. The sanest thing the church ever did was to organize the Cradle Roll—a department in Sabbath school where the children from birth to three or four years of age are enrolled and remembered. He gave many instances where parents who were non-church goers were induced to attend church, and later united with the church on profession of faith. In one case even the old grandfather was led to Christ through the influence of the birthday card presented to the baby.

The Home Department in country places is not looked after as it should be. He gave one incident where a superintendent secured seven y names for his department; he invited them to come to his home for the quarterly review, and forty accepted the invitation. The Adult Bible class is an organization that has swept thousands into the Sabbath school, and is one that should be in every community.

A union choir assisted in the music at the evening session and a male quartetts composed of Messrs. R. Holland, R. Wilcock, H. Sullivan and Rev. Wellwood rendered a selection which delighted the audience.

The Secretary, Mr. W. H. Bunt, brought in the report of the nominating committee as follows: Pres., Mr. F. Chard, Flesherton; Vice-Pres., Rev. Mr. Leece, Priceville; Sec.-Treas., Mr. W. H. Bunt, Flesherton; Superintendent of Elementary Grades, Florence Thurston; Superintendent of Home Department, Mr. Wm. Buchanan, Vandeleur. Vandeleur was chosen as next place of meeting.

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Scotland Yard officers are highly amused at an adventure of one of their number with two confidence trick swindlers. The officer, rubicund of countenance and looking anything but a detective, had to visit a well known West End bar. There, two men whom he knew to be confident tricksters, but who were unaware of his identity, made friendly overtures. It was not long before the three were extending hospitality to one another. When the detective mentioned that he was about to visit a hosier to make a few purchases one of the tricksters insisted on escorting him to a Regent-street firm, and, further, would not permit his new friend to discharge the bill, but did that himself. After such generosity—the bill was not a light one—the detective could not do less than invite the men to further hospitality. Then, seated in a comfortable saloon, the tricksters embarked on the time-worn tale which accompanies every confidence trick. In the middle of it another detective entered. This officer was known to the tricksters, and before the first officer could introduce his colleague, they had disappeared, leaving him the richer by a considerable addition to his wardrobe.

As a result of the visit of Provincial License Inspector Ayearst to the village of Lucknow some two weeks ago four fines of $100 each were imposed upon residents of that village on charges of selling liquor in a local option municipality. The convictions were obtained through the work of "spotters" in the employ of the Provincial government. One fellow Jimmy Hunter, refused to pay his fine and was as an alternative brought to the Walkerton gaol last week where he will spend three months.—Telescope.

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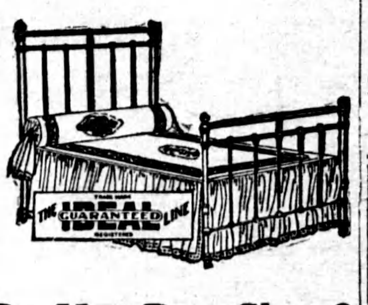


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